

TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM OF GEORGIA

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS DIVISION – OFFICE OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION

INFORMATION TICKET

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Process

- Curriculum Revision
- Course Revision
- Probe Notice
- Probe Feedback
- Probe Outcome
- Other

Action Required

- Notify Appropriate Personnel
- Submit Vote
Submit Vote by: [Date]
- Notify Faculty and Administration
- Information Only

PAS Group Title/PAS Code: Practical Nursing and Related Programs/0950

Program Standard Title/Major Code(s) and/or Course Standard Title/Course Code(s):

Nursing Technician/NT61

TICKET INFORMATION:

The NT61: Nursing Technician program is an institutionally developed program belonging to Wiregrass GA Technical College. The college has requested several changes to the program to allow students to seamlessly complete a TCC and have the required course coursework for the competitive admission process for the Practical Nursing and Associate of Nursing programs. As requested, the following revisions were made,

NT61: Nursing Technician

- With the creation of a 2023 version of the program, the following revisions were made,

| Course Code | Course Title | Contact Hours | Credit Hours |
|-------------|----------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| ENGL 1101 | Composition and Rhetoric | 45hrs | 3hrs |
| MATH 1111 | College Algebra | 45hrs | 3hrs |
| BIOL 2113 | Anatomy & Physiology I | 45hrs | 3hrs |
| BIOL 2113L | Anatomy & Physiology Lab I | 45hrs | 1hr |

| Choose One of the Courses (6hrs) | | | |
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| PNSG 2030 | Nursing Fundamentals | 165hrs | 6hrs |
| ALHS 1100 | Nurse Aide Fundamentals (Non-Certification) | 135hrs | 6hrs |
| NAST 1100 | Nurse Aide Fundamentals | 135hrs | 6hrs |
| PSYC 1101 | Introductory Psychology | 45hrs | 3hrs |
| BIOL 2114 | Anatomy & Physiology II | 45hrs | 3hrs |
| BIOL 2114L | Anatomy & Physiology Lab II | 45hrs | 1hr |
| ALHS 1090 | Medical Terminology for Allied Health Sciences | 30hrs | 2hrs |
| Total Hours | | 480hrs | 16hrs -25hrs |

- PNSG 2030: Nursing Fundamentals course was removed as a course option for the 6hr nurse aid/nursing fundamentals requirement.
- ALHS 1100: Nurse Aide Fundamentals (Non-Certification) was removed as a course option for the 6hr nurse aid/nursing fundamentals requirement.
- NAST 1100: Nurse Aide Fundamentals remained as the primary course option for the 6hr nurse aid/nursing fundamentals requirement.
- PSYC 1101: Introductory Psychology was added.
- BIOL 2114: Anatomy & Physiology II was added.
- BIOL 2114L: Anatomy & Physiology Lab II was added.
- ALHS 1090: Medical Terminology for Allied Health Sciences was added.
- Total contact hours remained at 480hrs.
- Total credit hours increased from 16hrs to 25hrs.

The revisions required the creation of the 2023 version of the NT61: Nursing Technician program. The overall program contact hours remained at 480hrs, and the credit hours increased from 16hrs to 25hrs. The new program version requires review and approval from the State Board. The State Board will ratify approval of the program during the August meeting.